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PATENT APPLICATION  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICATION OF	)	
PETER SCHERTL ET AL	)	GROUP NO.: 1713
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/019,577	)	
FILED: DECEMBER 21, 2001	)	EXAMINER: ROBERTO RABAGO
TITLE: METHOD FOR COPOLYMERIZING	)	
POLAR AND NON-POLAR	)	
MONOMERS	)	

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sirs:

In response to the Final Office Action dated May 31, 2006 in the above-identified application, it is respectfully requested that the presently claimed invention be reconsidered in view of the following amendments and remarks. A three-month Petition for Extension of Time and Request for Continued Examination is concurrently submitted herewith.

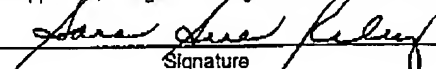
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**Remarks** begin on page 6.

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